tion No.

09/691,968

Confirmation No.

6538

* mass licant

Pinera et al.

Filed

October 19, 2000

TC/A.U.

2122

Examiner

KISS, ERIC B

Docket No.

6169-137

IBM Docket No.

BOC9-1999-0079

RECEIVED

JUN 2 1 2004

Technology Center 2100

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please find enclosed for filing:

1. Response under 37 C.F.R. §1.111; and

2. Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0951.

This Transmittal Letter is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 14 Sune 2004

Gregory A. Nelson, Registration No. 30,577 Kevin T. Cuenot, Registration No. 46,283

Brian K. Buchheit, Registration No. 52,667

AKERMAN SENTERFITT

Post Office Box 3188

West Palm Beach, FL 33402-3188

Telephone: (561) 653-5000